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PUBLIC WELFARE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1984

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PUBLIC WELFARE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1984

Comparative statistics for the current month, the preceding month, and the same month last year for the programs of Aid to Families With Dependent Children (AFDC) and General Assistance (GA) are shown in the following tables. The tables for AFDC includes the combined totals for the "C", "F" and "N" segments. The combined totals for this program and the General Assistance Program are shown in the "Public Assistance Programs" table.

For the tables in this release pertaining to the AFDC Program which is CWA-administered, the numbers shown as recipients include some duplication of count for cases and persons who had received a partial (initial) grant in the preceding month but were not included in the counts for that month.

	PUBLIC ASSISTANCE PROGRAM			PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS:	
	APRIL 1984	MARCH 1984	APRIL 1983	MONTH	YEAR
APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	11,377	10,199	10,896	11.6%	4.4%
APPLICATIONS CLEARED	11,811	10,704	10,890	10.3%	8.5%
APPLICATIONS APPROVED	9,854	8,845	9,145	11.4%	7.8%
RATIO: APPROVED TO CLEARED	83.4%	82.6%	84.0%	XX	XX
CASES CLOSED	10,809	9,250	8,854	16.9%	22.1%
RATIO: CASES CLOSED TO APPROVED	109.7%	104.6%	96.8%	XX	XX
APPLICATIONS PENDING	2,173	2,607	2,784	-16.6%	-21.9%
NUMBER OF RECIPIENT CASES	162,333	162,156	166,916	0.1%	- 2.7%
NUMBER OF PERSONS	427,235	426,191	445,730	0.2%	- 4.1%
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$49,572,354	$49,229,179	$50,241,984	0.7%	- 1.3%
AVERAGE PER CASE	$305.37	$303.59	$301.00	0.6%	1.5%
AVERAGE PER PERSON	$116.03	$115.51	$112.72	0.5%	2.9%

PUBLIC WELFARE STATISTICS FOR THE MONTH OF APRIL 1984

AID TO FAMILIES WITH DEPENDENT CHILDREN PROGRAM

	APRIL 1984	MARCH 1984	APRIL 1983	PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS: MONTH	YEAR
APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	7,019	5,809	6,249	20.8%	12.3%
APPLICATIONS CLEARED	7,118	5,787	6,415	23.0%	11.0%
APPLICATIONS APPROVED	5,877	4,737	5,355	24.1%	9.7%
RATIO: APPROVED TO CLEARED	82.6%	81.9%	83.5%	XX	XX
CASES CLOSED	6,351	5,017	4,917	26.6%	29.2%
RATIO: CASES CLOSED TO APPROVED	108.1%	105.9%	91.8%	XX	XX
APPLICATIONS PENDING	922	1,021	869	- 9.7%	6.1%
NUMBER OF RECIPIENT CASES	131,672	131,076	135,998	0.5%	- 3.2%
NUMBER OF PERSONS	395,983	394,492	414,177	0.4%	- 4.4%
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$43,217,967	$42,999,548	$44,851,645	0.5%	- 3.6%
AVERAGE PER CASE	$328.22	$328.05	$329.80	0.1%	- 0.5%
AVERAGE PER PERSON	$109.14	$109.00	$108.29	0.1%	0.8%

GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM

	APRIL 1984	MARCH 1984	APRIL 1983	PERCENT CHANGE FROM PREVIOUS: MONTH	YEAR
APPLICATIONS RECEIVED	4,358	4,390	4,647	- 0.7%	- 6.2%
APPLICATIONS CLEARED	4,693	4,917	4,475	- 4.6%	4.9%
APPLICATIONS APPROVED	3,977	4,108	3,790	- 3.2%	4.9%
RATIO: APPROVED TO CLEARED	84.7%	83.5%	84.7%	XX	XX
CASES CLOSED	4,458	4,233	3,937	5.3%	13.2%
RATIO: CASES CLOSED TO APPROVED	112.1%	103.0%	103.9%	XX	XX
APPLICATIONS PENDING	1,251	1,586	1,915	-21.1%	-34.7%
NUMBER OF RECIPIENT CASES	30,661	31,080	30,918	- 1.3%	- 0.8%
NUMBER OF PERSONS	31,252	31,699	31,553	- 1.4%	- 1.0%
TOTAL EXPENDITURES	$6,354,387	$6,229,631	$5,390,339	2.0%	17.9%
AVERAGE PER CASE	$207.25	$200.44	$174.34	3.4%	18.9%
AVERAGE PER PERSON	$203.33	$196.52	$170.83	3.5%	19.0%

TABLE II-A

APRIL 1984

STATISICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM(a)

	NUMBER OF APPLICATIONS			NUMBER OF CASES			NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
COUNTY	RECEIVED	CLEARED	PENDING	APPROVED	CLOSED	AIDED	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINT	HOSP	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC	223	247	27	188	189	755	787	784	2	1	113612	104787	8825	133.32	2941.67
BERGEN	142	144	0	115	131	574	599	597	2	0	117440	112953	4487	168.57	2243.50
BURLINGTON	116	114	2	111	111	472	501	501	0	0	65611	65611	0	130.96	0.00
CAMDEN	340	346	12	259	250	2496	2536	2532	3	1	339433	324049	15384	127.83	3846.00
CAPE MAY	39	40	1	40	67	141	151	151	0	0	18576	18576	0	123.02	0.00
CUMBERLAND	85	84	3	77	93	430	455	455	0	0	58398	58398	0	128.35	0.00
ESSEX	1111	1209	826	1043	999	11665	11772	11488	230	54	3311065	1857509	1453556	158.52	5118.15
GLOUCESTER	46	49	0	43	50	236	253	253	0	0	33883	33883	0	133.92	0.00
HUDSON	864	823	42	804	803	5297	5406	5338	55	13	1080847	760823	320024	141.08	4706.24
HUNTERDON	2	2	0	2	3	12	12	12	0	0	2066	2066	0	172.17	0.00
MERCER	171	424	194	228	262	2349	2370	2370	0	0	336563	336563	0	142.01	0.00
MIDDLESEX	256	253	88	218	242	1336	1378	1378	0	0	200523	200523	0	145.52	0.00
MONMOUTH	186	191	12	158	239	667	709	709	0	0	101674	101674	0	143.40	0.00
MORRIS	39	41	1	36	50	147	152	152	0	0	24119	24119	0	158.68	0.00
OCEAN	125	133	8	122	158	504	527	527	0	0	74036	74036	0	140.49	0.00
PASSAIC	211	205	14	182	371	1607	1626	1626	0	0	204850	204850	0	125.98	0.00
SALEM	19	19	0	19	30	74	78	78	0	0	8131	8131	0	104.24	0.00
SOMERSET	46	44	4	41	54	151	157	157	0	0	21161	21161	0	134.78	0.00
SUSSEX	12	12	0	12	18	48	53	53	0	0	9518	9518	0	179.58	0.00
UNION	318	305	17	271	324	1661	1689	1685	3	1	228937	219566	9371	130.07	2342.75
WARREN	7	8	0	8	14	39	41	41	0	0	3944	3944	0	96.20	0.00
TOTAL	4358	4693	1251	3977	4458	30661	31252	30887	295	70	6354387	4542740	1811647	145.68	4963.42

(a) Commitments for hospitalization are reported in the month that payment is made.

TABLE II-B

APRIL 1984

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
EMPLOYABLE SEGMENT(a)

COUNTY	NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINTENANCE	HOSPITAL	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC	503	502	1	0	58503	55513	2990	110.36	2990.00
BERGEN	198	198	0	0	24273	24273	0	122.59	0.00
BURLINGTON	265	265	0	0	28154	28154	0	106.24	0.00
CAMDEN	1998	1995	2	1	222472	212794	9678	106.56	3226.00
CAPE MAY	79	79	0	0	6241	6241	0	79.00	0.00
CUMBERLAND	307	307	0	0	30951	30951	0	100.82	0.00
ESSEX	7276	7159	105	12	1465885	955924	509961	131.60	4358.64
GLOUCESTER	106	106	0	0	9991	9991	0	94.25	0.00
HUDSON	3652	3621	25	6	515882	404541	111341	110.95	3591.65
HUNTERDON	5	5	0	0	714	714	0	142.80	0.00
MERCER	1722	1722	0	0	211465	211465	0	122.80	0.00
MIDDLESEX	778	778	0	0	92835	92835	0	119.33	0.00
MONMOUTH	271	271	0	0	26161	26161	0	96.54	0.00
MORRIS	49	49	0	0	4565	4565	0	93.16	0.00
OCEAN	266	266	0	0	29961	29961	0	112.64	0.00
PASSAIC	969	969	0	0	99435	99435	0	102.62	0.00
SALEM	55	55	0	0	4647	4647	0	84.49	0.00
SOMERSET	66	66	0	0	6928	6928	0	104.97	0.00
SUSSEX	21	21	0	0	1479	1479	0	70.43	0.00
UNION	928	927	1	0	92470	92067	403	99.21	403.00
WARREN	23	23	0	0	1891	1891	0	82.22	0.00
TOTAL	19537	19384	134	19	2934903	2300530	634373	117.87	4146.23

(a) Commitments for hospitalization are reported in the month that payment is made.

TABLE II-C

APRIL 1984

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM
UNEMPLOYABLE SEGMENT(a)

COUNTY	NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINTENANCE	HOSPITAL	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC	284	282	1	1	55109	49274	5835	174.11	2917.50
BERGEN	401	399	2	0	93167	88680	4487	221.15	2243.50
BURLINGTON	236	236	0	0	37457	37457	0	158.72	0.00
CAMDEN	538	537	1	0	116961	111255	5706	206.79	5706.00
CAPE MAY	72	72	0	0	12335	12335	0	171.32	0.00
CUMBERLAND	148	148	0	0	27447	27447	0	185.45	0.00
ESSEX	4496	4329	125	42	1845180	901585	943595	202.42	5650.27
GLOUCESTER	147	147	0	0	23892	23892	0	162.53	0.00
HUDSON	1754	1717	30	7	564965	356282	208683	203.94	5640.08
HUNTERDON	7	7	0	0	1352	1352	0	193.14	0.00
MERCER	648	648	0	0	125098	125098	0	193.05	0.00
MIDDLESEX	600	600	0	0	107688	107688	0	179.48	0.00
MONMOUTH	438	438	0	0	75513	75513	0	172.40	0.00
MORRIS	103	103	0	0	19554	19554	0	189.84	0.00
OCEAN	261	261	0	0	44075	44075	0	168.87	0.00
PASSAIC	657	657	0	0	105415	105415	0	160.45	0.00
SALEM	23	23	0	0	3484	3484	0	151.48	0.00
SOMERSET	91	91	0	0	14233	14233	0	156.41	0.00
SUSSEX	32	32	0	0	8039	8039	0	251.22	0.00
UNION	761	758	2	1	136467	127499	8968	167.76	2989.33
WARREN	18	18	0	0	2053	2053	0	114.06	0.00
TOTAL	11715	11503	161	51	3419484	2242210	1177274	192.23	5553.18

(a) Commitments for hospitalization are reported in the month that payment is made.

TABLE II-D

APRIL 1983

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR TWENTY-ONE MUNICIPALITIES(a)

MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF CASES			NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	APPROVED	CLOSED	AIDED	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINT	HOSP	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC CITY	120	126	516	519	517	1	1	75692	68792	6900	132.80	3450.00
BAYONNE	29	27	308	314	314	0	0	40392	40392	0	128.64	0.00
BRIDGETON	20	27	175	183	183	0	0	24084	24084	0	131.61	0.00
CAMDEN	139	136	2016	2046	2042	3	1	269151	253767	15384	124.09	3846.00
EAST ORANGE	137	172	853	860	837	17	6	186209	150788	35421	176.57	1540.04
ELIZABETH	170	208	1073	1085	1083	2	0	139841	135225	4616	124.63	2308.00
ENGLEWOOD	22	32	122	123	122	1	0	19964	17721	2243	144.07	2243.00
HOBOKEN	46	60	300	307	307	0	0	35572	35572	0	115.87	0.00
IRVINGTON	39	61	393	399	399	0	0	65085	65085	0	163.12	0.00
JERSEY CITY	471	416	4051	4123	4058	54	11	881070	586338	294732	142.59	4534.34
LAKEWOOD	31	39	181	189	189	0	0	29450	29450	0	155.82	0.00
MONTCLAIR	30	19	196	198	196	1	1	41376	34907	6469	177.19	3234.50
NEWARK	781	656	9781	9864	9610	209	45	2937059	1544060	1392999	157.25	5484.25
NEW BRUNSWICK	57	44	346	353	353	0	0	58361	58361	0	165.33	0.00
ORANGE CITY	34	26	205	207	203	3	1	32731	24766	7965	120.22	1991.25
PASSAIC	23	24	155	161	161	0	0	22377	22377	0	138.99	0.00
PATERSON	154	333	1387	1399	1399	0	0	166286	166286	0	118.86	0.00
PERTH AMBOY	77	103	471	483	483	0	0	63118	63118	0	130.68	0.00
PLAINFIELD	40	49	221	225	224	0	1	32943	28899	4044	129.01	4044.00
TRENTON	182	198	2105	2123	2123	0	0	295693	295693	0	139.28	0.00
UNION CITY	230	256	436	445	445	0	0	62011	62011	0	139.35	0.00
TOTAL	2832	3012	25291	25606	25248	291	67	5478465	3707692	1770773	145.18	4946.29

(a) Commitments for hospitalization are reported in the month that payment is made.

TABLE II-E

APRIL 1984

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR TWENTY-ONE MUNICIPALITIES EMPLOYABLE SEGMENT(a)

MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINTENANCE	HOSPITAL	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC CITY	363	362	1	0	42983	39993	2990	110.17	2990.00
BAYONNE	237	237	0	0	23978	23978	0	101.17	0.00
BRIDGETON	122	122	0	0	13248	13248	0	108.59	0.00
CAMDEN	1769	1766	2	1	200595	190917	9678	107.98	3226.00
EAST ORANGE	435	429	5	1	69265	59623	9642	137.38	1607.00
ELIZABETH	634	633	1	0	62509	62106	403	97.96	403.00
ENGLEWOOD	63	63	0	0	6844	6844	0	108.63	0.00
HOBOKEN	261	261	0	0	28680	28680	0	109.89	0.00
IRVINGTON	223	223	0	0	23422	23422	0	105.03	0.00
JERSEY CITY	2768	2737	25	6	427283	315942	111341	114.39	3591.65
LAKEWOOD	97	97	0	0	10390	10390	0	107.11	0.00
MONTCLAIR	125	124	0	1	20622	19185	1437	154.72	1437.00
NEWARK	6238	6132	97	9	1322976	832059	490917	133.58	4631.29
NEW BRUNSWICK	222	222	0	0	30890	30890	0	139.14	0.00
ORANGE CITY	126	122	3	1	21055	13090	7965	104.72	1991.25
PASSAIC	45	45	0	0	4131	4131	0	91.80	0.00
PATERSON	905	905	0	0	92785	92785	0	102.52	0.00
PERTH AMBOY	301	301	0	0	35097	35097	0	116.60	0.00
PLAINFIELD	140	140	0	0	14028	14028	0	100.20	0.00
TRENTON	1603	1603	0	0	199478	199478	0	124.44	0.00
UNION CITY	310	310	0	0	28636	28636	0	92.37	0.00
TOTAL	16987	16834	134	19	2678895	2044522	634373	120.49	4146.23

(a) Commitments for hospitalization are reported in the month that payment is made.

TABLE II-F

APRIL 1984

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR GENERAL ASSISTANCE PROGRAM FOR TWENTY-ONE MUNICIPALITIES UNEMPLOYABLE SEGMENT(a)

MUNICIPALITY	NUMBER OF PERSONS AIDED				ASSISTANCE COMMITMENTS			AVERAGE COMMITMENT PER PERSON	
	TOTAL	MAINT ONLY	MAINT & HOSP	HOSP ONLY	TOTAL	MAINTENANCE	HOSPITAL	MAINT	HOSP
ATLANTIC CITY	156	155	0	1	32709	28799	3910	185.80	3910.00
BAYONNE	77	77	0	0	16414	16414	0	213.17	0.00
BRIDGETON	61	61	0	0	10836	10836	0	177.64	0.00
CAMDEN	277	276	1	0	68556	62850	5706	226.90	5706.00
EAST ORANGE	425	408	12	5	116944	91165	25779	217.06	1516.41
ELIZABETH	451	450	1	0	77332	73119	4213	162.13	4213.00
ENGLEWOOD	60	59	1	0	13120	10877	2243	181.28	2243.00
HOBOKEN	46	46	0	0	6892	6892	0	149.83	0.00
IRVINGTON	176	176	0	0	41663	41663	0	236.72	0.00
JERSEY CITY	1355	1321	29	5	453787	270396	183391	200.29	5393.85
LAKEWOOD	92	92	0	0	19060	19060	0	207.17	0.00
MONTCLAIR	73	72	1	0	20754	15722	5032	215.37	5032.00
NEWARK	3626	3478	112	36	1614083	712001	902082	198.33	6095.15
NEW BRUNSWICK	131	131	0	0	27471	27471	0	209.70	0.00
ORANGE CITY	81	81	0	0	11676	11676	0	144.15	0.00
PASSAIC	116	116	0	0	18246	18246	0	157.29	0.00
PATERSON	494	494	0	0	73501	73501	0	148.79	0.00
PERTH AMBOY	182	182	0	0	28021	28021	0	153.96	0.00
PLAINFIELD	85	84	0	1	18915	14871	4044	177.04	4044.00
TRENTON	520	520	0	0	96215	96215	0	185.03	0.00
UNION CITY	135	135	0	0	33375	33375	0	247.22	0.00
TOTAL	8619	8414	157	48	2799570	1663170	1136400	194.05	5543.41

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